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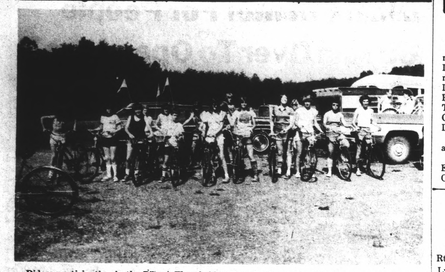

Riders participating in the Bike-A-Thon held in Pamplin for fund raising for Cystic Fibrosis on Saturday are shown in above photo.

First Bike-A-Thon Held In Pamplin

A "first" for the City of Pamplin occured on Saturday, May 21, when the "Bike-A-Thon" was held for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Riders from the counties of Charlotte, Prince Edward and Appomattox participated, with a total of 29 riders. They rode a total of ten miles, beginning at Pamplin and riding to Madisonville and back. Over $400.00 was pledged to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, with Christy Cobb of Charlotte Court House, Lisa Nash of Pamplin, and Larry Shorter of Appomattox winning the prizes for having the most pledges. The ladies of the Pamplin Association of Retired Persons helped provide refreshments for the riders, and donations were made by Kern's Bakery, Terry's Bakery of Farmville and Southside Virginia Realty company of Farmville. The riders are looking forward to another "Bike-A-Thon" next year, and some older citizesn have expressed interest in the event.

East & West Bound S.S. Union Convenes With Jordan S.S.

The East and West Bound Sunday School Union will convene with the Jordon Baptist Sunday School this Sunday morning at 10 a.m. All schools are asked to send delegates. The Sunday school will be conducted by the union. The pastor of the church will deliver the sermon and music will be rendered by the senior choir. The special youth program will be made up of talent from each school. The general public is cordially invited to attend this session. The local school will serve refreshments.

An appreciative crowd attended the appreciation service given by the Galilee senior choir organist, Mr. Timotheous Lawing last Sunday evening at 3 P.M. The program was made up of local musical groups and church choirs. The local Galilee choir conducted the devotional and welcome. The following program was enjoyed by all: Opening hymn by Galilee choir; Scripture, Mrs. Evelyn Berry; Prayer, Mrs. Dorothy Pannell; Selection, Galilee choir; Welcome address, Mrs. Herma Randolph; Response, Mrs. Annie Harvey; Selection, Promise Land choir; Selection, TheGospel Entertainers, Selection, Morning Star Senior Solo, Mrs. Evelyn Berry; Duet, Mr. & Mrs. Charles Cardwell; the offering, deacons, Stewart Robinson, James Pannel and L. A. Lawing; Presentations, on behalf of the choir were given by Mrs. Eva Allen, Mrs. Dorothy Pannell and deacon Stewart Robinson on behalf of the Promise Land Church; Testimonials were given by members and friends in the audience. Mrs. Dorothy Stevens, president of the choir served as mistress of ceremony All present enjoyed the entire program.

A very large crowsd attended the regular preaching service at the Promise Church last sunday morning at 11 a.m. The pastor delivered a very inspiring message. Beautiful music was rendered by the senior choir. During the offering period the following members reported contributions gleaned from the membership in a free will rally as follows: Miss Margarie Harvey, $134.50; Deacon Stewart Robinson, $120.00; Mrs. Patricia Thonton, $122.00. A total of $376.50 was reported.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the special service planned at the Triumph Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m. The Rev. James Franklin will be the guest speaker. The service is given for the benefit of the building fund.

The usher board of the Zion Baptist Church held its regular meeting last Sunday at 11 a.m. with the vice president, Miss Barbara Hunter. The devotions were conducted by the chaplain Mrs. Susie Hunter. The meeting was very helpful and interesting.

The senior choir of the Zion Baptist Church sponsored its annual choir festival last Sunday evening at 4 p.m. The program was very interesting. Mrs. Nannie Johnson served as the mistress of ceremony. The following choir members appeared on the program: Mrs. Beatrice Jennings, Mr. Robert Byrd, Mrs. Maggie Franklin, Mrs. Elmoe Hayes and Mrs. Mattie Lawson. Presentations were given to the following choir members: Mrs. Lizzie Mack, Mrs. Maggie Franklin, deacon Frank Johnson and Mrs. Jane Byrd. The entire service was a success and all present enjoyed the entire program.

The following are on the sick list: Mrs. Mary Braxton, Mrs. Estelle Hamlette, Mrs. Sarah Douthus, and Mrs. Veto Bolden. Mr. Thomas Jackson is improving nicely.

Mrs. Florence Lawing received a message early this week of the death of her cousin, Judge Homer Brown of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Modessa Jordon is still in the Lynchburg Hospital.

Mrs. Margaret Ferguson is undegoing special treatment.

Mrs. Theda Harris has returned to her home after surgery in the University Hospital in Charlottesville.

The annual St. Johns Day celebration will be held at the Galilee Baptist Church on the fouth Sunday in June at 3 P.M. All brethern will take an active part.

CONCORD

Love Foster and Rachel McGaheny visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spencer in Roanoke for a wedding anniversary Sunday May 22nd.

T. W. Barger from Pittsburg, Pa. visited in the home of Love Foster last Sunday May 15th.

This reporter and daughter Barbara and Laura spent a week in Paris Tennessee visiting my folks and picking strawberries. On the way home we visited "Magic World" in Pigeon Forge, Tenn., a fantasy and fairytale delight for young and old.

That's all folks, see you soon!

MEMORIAL DAY SPEAKER

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Colonel in the U. S. Army Retired Reserves. He served during World War II as Division Chaplain of the Fourth Armored Division in the European Theatre of operations with the rank of Lt. Colonel. He was awarded the Bronze Star for his services in combat. He is currently Chaplain of American Legion Post 16 in Lynchburg.

Rev. Bowman has a weekly program each Saturday morning at 8:30 on Television Station WLVA, teaching the Sunday School lesson.

The public is invited to attend the Memorial Day services. In case of rain, the program will be held in the Court House.

FHA Meeting

On May 18, 1977 the Appomattox Senior Chapter Future Homemakers of America held its monthly meeting for May. The meeting was called to order by the President, Teresa Cyrus. Devotions were given by the chaplain, Janet Fitzgerald. The secretary, Pam Taylor, read the minutes. Sandy Jamerson, treasurer, gave the treasurer's report. The Girl of the Month is Terri Dalton. The officers for the incoming year were nominated and elected. They are as follows: President, Mary Dyess; First Vice-President, Cheryl Elliott; Second Vice-President, Susan Parris, Third Vice-President, Penny Elliott; Secretary, Terri Dalton; Treasurer, Gloria Hodges; Reporter, Cheryl Walton; Chaplin, Jane Almond; Historian, Karen Covington; and Parliamentarian, Shelby Dunnam.

Each retiring officer spoke about what FHA meant to them. The incoming officers were installed and the meeting was adjourned by President Teresa Cyrus.

Pictured above are l. to r.: Sandy Jamerson, Pam Taylor, Penny Elliott, Mary Dyess, Cheryl Elliott, Janet Fitzgerald, Teresa Kerr, Teresa Cyrus, Terri Dalton, Gloria Hodges, Karen Covington, Cheryl Walton, Susan Parris, Jane Almond and Shelby Dunnam.

Obituary

Willie W. Rowles

Willie Wilson Rowles,67, of Rt. 1, Gladstone died Tuesday a Lynchburg General Hospital after a long illness. He was married to Lillie P. Rowles.

Born in Campbell County, he was a son of the late C. C. Rowles and Sally Mann Rowles. He was retired from W. O. Taylor Co. and worked part-time at Schewel Furniture Co. He was a member of St. James United Methodist Church and was a member of Odd Fellows No. 1, Madison Heights.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one son, John W. Rowles of Leesburg, two brothers, F. O. Rowles of Rustburg and Robert Rowles of New Jersey, and one sister, Mrs. Mae Slough of Appomattox.

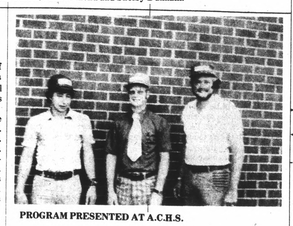
Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at St. James United Methodist Church in Gladstone by the Rev. Randolph Campbell. Burial will be in the Peters family cemetery.

Virginia Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Time of Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Brown will be conducted at 4 p.m., Thursday from Jordan Baptist Church in Appomattox County. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Community Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



PROGRAM PRESENTED AT A.C.H.S.

Mr. Larry Bross and Ray Funkhouse, representing Stauffer Chemical Company, and B. K. Waddell, Agricultural Instructor, shown above, presented a program in cooperation with the Appomattox Senior FFA Chapter entitled "Miracle on the Land." This was a five screen presentation presented to the student body at Appomattox County High School. The program "Miracle on the Land" was on the history of Agriculture from the time when a farmer produced only enough food to feed his immediate family until now when a farmer produces enough food to feed 51 persons.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

THOSE WE CALL "HAPPY"

Lesson for May 29, 1977

Background Scripture: James 5:17-20
Devotional Reading: Psalms 57

Rev. Althouse

Someone gave me a sign for my study. It reads in large letters:

LORD, GIVE ME PATIENCE, BUT I WANT IT RIGHT NOW!

In the school of life, "patience" may well be one of our poorest "subjects." We are often even impatient at the slowness with which we learn patience! So there is nothing outdated about James' admonition: "Be patient, therefore, brethren, until the coming of the Lord" (James 5:7).

Behold, the farmer waits

One of the reasons we are often impatient is that we have a very limited vision. We see only superficially, assuming that whatever is not obvious must be nonexistant. We forget that often the fulfillment of that for which we are waiting takes place, for the most part, quite unseen. "Behold, the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth," says James, "being patient over it until it receives the early and the late rain" (5:7). It is a good analogy, for much of that for which the farmer waits is unseen. He plants the seed and from the ground level it appears as if nothing is happening. Yet, beneath the surface inside the seed something is happening. Germination is taking place and even after the seed begins to sprout its growth is not visible above ground until the very latest stages.

The same thing is often true as our daily lives. Many of the things we do are not blessed with immediate evidence that something desired is happening. If we limited our efforts only to those that gave immediate evidence, we would likely do very little. So it is with our prayer life. We continue to pray with confidence, knowing that we do not have to see immediate evidence in order to trust that our prayer is being answered.

Behold, we call those happy

James says, "Behold, we call those happy who were steadfast" (5:11). We usually think of happiness as the result of things working out the way we want. But James is saying that happiness is something that we can know, long before we get our hearts desire. True happiness, he suggests, is something we experience in the midst of steadfastness. If we learn to be patient, we will experience happiness, not at the end of, but in the midst of our waiting.

That really is the secret, isn't it? To be happy while we are waiting! Happiness consists; in being able to "taste" in advance the fruits that are still to come. And that's what the Bible means by "faith": not just believing the promises, but living on them. It means we enjoy the fruits even before they are ripened.

Happy are those who are steadfast, for they shall taste the ripened fruit before it appears.

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By Joyce Vaughan

Nine students from the Allego Music Studio, class of Mrs. J. Franklin Vaughan, have received the honorable grades for composing their own music composiion entered on a national level through the National Guild American College of Musicians. Their composition will be entered on an International level. Students who received this achievement are 1st row, Renee Williams, Kinckle Robinson, Melinda Davis, 2nd row, Joanie Canada, Patricia Chandler, Kathy Lewis, Beverly Coleman, Jan Armentrout and James Beaty, not pictured. These students will receive composer certificates and Bronze pins from the National Guild Austin, Texas headquarters as well as a composer trophy from their teacher during their annual 10 piano-organ ensemble concert on June 12 at 2:00 at ACHS.

Glen Duff is seen being congratulated by his mother, Mrs. Ann Duff and Scoutmaster Spencer Adams on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout with Seven Palms.

Glen Duff Receives Award

Scout Glen Duff caps Scouting membership as a youth with attainment of Third Bronze or Seventh Palm beyond Eagle Scout. Glen has attained perhaps the highest rank ever held by a youth member in the Weyanoke District of the Robert E. Lee Council BSA. Glen currently serves as a Junior Assistant Scoutmaster for Dillwyn Troop 6585.

Glen is also serving a second term as chapter chief of the Monocan Chapter of Nowakwa Lodge. He serves as Art Editor of the Nowaka Lodge newsletter, "Tom-Tom", which was recently recognized as the top news letter in Virginia by the Virginia Press Association. Glen was recently selected as a member of the staff for the BSA National Jamboree to be held in August 1977 in Pennsylvania. He has also received several awards and recognition for art work he has submitted in competition.

REV. BABER TO SPEAK AT APPOMATTOX BAPTIST TEMPLE

The Appomattox Baptist Temple Church is pleased to announce that the Rev. R. B. Baber will be speaking at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday, May 29th.

The public is invited to attend this service and hear the wonderful words of the Rev. Baber.

APPOMATTOX CATTLEMAN JOINS VA. ANGUS ASSOC.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, May 19 - The Virginia Angus Association is pleased to announce a new purebred member from Appomattox, Virginia. Mr. William S. Butler, Stonewall Farm, owns and operates a herd of registered purebred Angus beef cattle on his farm located off Rt. 24 on Rt. 616 west. The Virginia Angus Association, headquarters located in Charlottesville, is the largest, most progressive purebred organization in the state, and the Aberdeen-Angus breed is the fastest growing beef breed in America.

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